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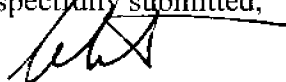
Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the documents which are listed on the attached PTO-1449 form which the Examiner may deem relevant to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application. A copy of the U.S. patents are not enclosed in accordance with the requirements. A copy of the Japanese document is enclosed with a translation. The present IDS is being filed together with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 and the fee set forth in § 1.17(e).

The submission of the listed documents is not intended as an admission that any such document constitutes prior art against the claims of the present application. Applicant does not waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove any listed document as a competent reference against the claims of the present application. Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be

considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO-1449 be returned in accordance with MPEP § 609.

Respectfully submitted,

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